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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, UN

SUBJECT: OPENING OF ENMOD CONVENTION - PARTICIPATION OF  
SYG WALDHEIM.

REF: USUN 1347

1. IN RESPONSE TO OUR QUERY RE WALDHEIM'S PARTICIPATION AT ENMOD SIGNING CEREMONY, THE SECRETARY GENERAL'S OFFICE HAS INFORMED US THAT WALDHEIM AS OF NOW EXPECTS TO BE IN GENEVA ON MAY 18. ROHAN, DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL, INFORMED MISOFF MAY 4 THAT UNSYG OFFICE IS WORKING ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT WALDHEIM WILL LEAVE MAPUTO MAY 16 AND ARRIVE IN GENEVA MAY 17. ROHAN ADDED THAT IT WAS NOT NECESSARY TO PURSUE ANY FURTHER THE POSSIBILITY OF DELAYING THE SIGNING CEREMONY UNTIL MAY 19.

2. ROHAN AND ASST. SECRETARY GENERAL BJORNERSTEDT HAVE CONFIRMED THAT WALDHEIM WISHES TO MEET WITH THE SECRETARY FOR BILATERAL DISCUSSION APART FROM THE ENMOD CEREMONY. WALDHEIM ALSO HOPES TO MEET WITH OTHER FOREIGN MINISTERS COMING TO

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GENEVA.

3. WALDHEIM AND EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT AHMED ARE PRESENTLY IN GUATEMALA, AND ARE EXPECTED BACK IN NEW YORK AROUND MAY 5. MISOFF ASKED ROHAN TO DISCUSS THESE MATTERS WITH WALDHEIM UPON HIS RETURN AND RECONFIRM THE ABOVE PLANS.

4. SOVIET COUNSELLOR TULINOV INFORMED US MAY 3 THAT  
THE SOVIETS ARE PROCEEDING WITH THEIR PREPARATIONS FOR THE  
ENMOD CEREMONY ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT IT WILL TAKE PLACE ON  
MAY 18. AS A FOLLOW-UP TO DEMARCHES THEY MADE IN FEBRUARY  
TO STATES WHICH SUPPORTED THE UNGA RESOLUTION APPROVING  
THE CONVENTION, THEY HAVE NOW MADE NEW DEMARCHES INFORMING  
THE SAME STATES OF THE VENUE AND TIMING, AND OF GROMYKO'S  
PARTICIPATION. IT IS THEIR HOPE THAT NUMBER OF EUROPEAN  
STATES WILL SEND FOREIGN MINISTERS TO GENEVA AND THAT  
STATES FROM OTHER REGIONS WILL BE REPRESENTED BY THEIR  
AMBASSADORS IN GENEVA.

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